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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

SIR:

Enclosed herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated September 9, 2004 for filing in the above-identified patent application.

Applicants hereby request a **one-month extension of time** for responding to the Office Action of September 9, 2004 for which a three month response period, expiring on December 9, 2004, was set. The one-month extended period for response expires on January 10, 2005 (January 9, 2005 being a Sunday). Please charge the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) one-month extension fee of \$60.00 and any other fee that may be required to deposit account number 11-0600. A duplicate of this transmittal letter is enclosed for charging purposes.

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